IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE Attorney Docket No. 007035.00012

In re U.S. Patent Application of BOURGES Application No. 10/595,905		}
) Group Art Unit: 3679
,) Examiner: Ernesto Garcia
date)	November 16, 2004 (PCT filing date)) Confirmation No.: 8782
For:	System for Connecting Two Shafts in Translation	 U.S. National Stage of International Application No. PCT/FR2004/002918

RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION DATED SEPTEMBER 26, 2008

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Sir:

This amendment is responsive to the Final Office Action dated September 26, 2008. The Examiner has set a three-month period for response, thus making this response due on or before December 26, 2008. Applicant believes there is no fee due at this time. Should fees be due, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any such fees or credit any overpayment of fees to Deposit Account No. 19-0733.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings being on page 7 and include 1 replacement sheet (attached).

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 9 of this paper.